

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yo-Yun Ho et al. Examiner: Thai D. Hoang
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENCODING INFORMATION

RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed February 27, 2006. Applicant is filing this Amendment along with a Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment under 37 CFR § 181(a). Applicant believes no extension of time fee is required. However, Applicant conditionally petitions for an extension of time to provide for the possibility that the need for such a petition has been inadvertently overlooked. As provided below, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2121 for any required fee, or for any deficiency in the enclosed fee.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper